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**STRIPPER SHROUD AIRSTREAM**  
**CONDITIONING APPARATUS**  
**FOR A DISC DRIVE**

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**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.